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In re Application of: Lewis Illingworth

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Ser. No.: 10/051,993

Group Art Unit: 1724

Filed: January 17, 2002

Examiner: Fred G. Prince

For: Vortex Pool Cleaner

Atty. Doc. No.: 120-103

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington D.C. 20231

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTING INVENTORSHIP

S I R:

Applicant requests that David Reinfeld be added as an inventor to the subject application. Applicant submits that David Reinfeld was inadvertently omitted from the original declaration filed on January 17, 2002. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.48(a), Applicant has attached the following documents herewith:

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- A statement from David Reinfeld indicating that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his part.
- A statement from Lewis Illingworth indicating that he agrees with the change in inventorship.
- A newly executed declaration including all inventors.

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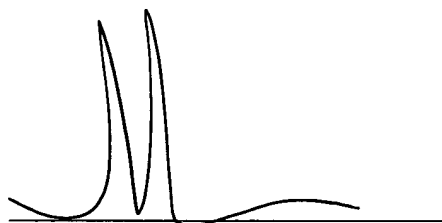
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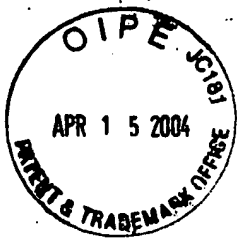
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Date

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**STATEMENT BY INVENTOR TO BE ADDED TO A NON-PROVISIONAL
PATENT APPLICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)**

S I R:

I, David Reinfeld, am one of the inventors of the
15 subject matter which is disclosed and claimed in the above-
referenced application. My omission as an inventor
occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date 3/9/04

David Reinfeld



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**STATEMENT BY NAMED INVENTOR AGREEING TO A CHANGE IN
INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)**

S I R:

I, Lewis Illingworth, agree with the change of
15 inventorship sought in the above-referenced application.

In the event that this change is not processed prior to
issuance of the subject application, this statement shall
satisfy the requirement under 37 C.F.R. 1.324 that I agree
with the addition of David Reinfeld as a co-inventor.

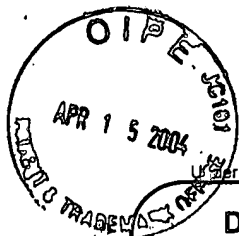
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Respectfully submitted,

Date

4/6/04

Lewis Illingworth



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(37 CFR 1.16 (e))
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Attorney Docket Number

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First Named Inventor

Lewis Illingworth

COMPLETE IF KNOWN

Application Number

10/051,993

Filing Date

1/17/2002

Art Unit

1724

Examiner Name

Fred G. Prince

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Vortex Pool Cleaner

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which



is attached hereto

OR



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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

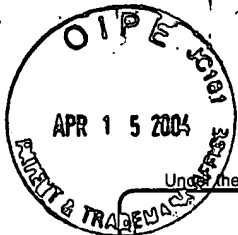
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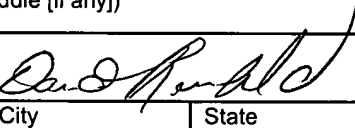
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NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR:				<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor	
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Given Name (first and middle (if any)) David				Family Name or Surname Reinfeld	
Inventor's Signature 				Date 3/9/04	
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